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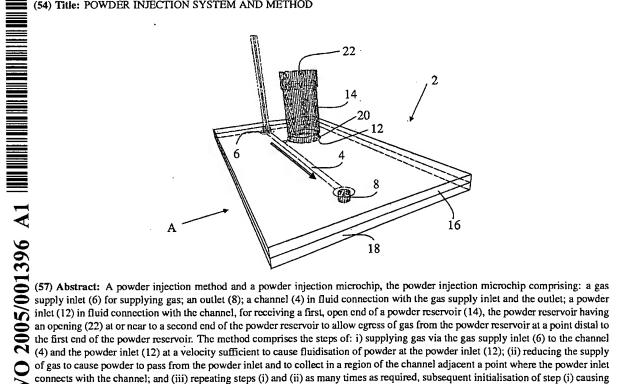
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of gas to cause powder to pass from the powder inlet and to collect in a region of the channel adjacent a point where the powder inlet connects with the channel; and (iii) repeating steps (i) and (ii) as many times as required, subsequent initialisation of step (i) causing the powder collected in the channel to be moved by the gas towards the outlet.